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HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE CHHATTISGARH: BILASPUR

Single Bench : Hon'ble Shri S.R. NAYAK, CJ

Writ Petition No.2396 of 2005

PETITIONER — Suresh Bansal, son of Shri G.R. Bansal, aged about 40 years, resident of Pithoura, district Mahasamund

Versus

RESPONDENTS

1. Chhattisgarh State Civil Supplies Corporation Limited, Through the Managing Director, Raipur.
2. The District Manager, Chhattisgarh State Civil Supplies Corporation Ltd. Mahasamund.
3. Balram Chandrakar, S/o Shri S.L. Chandrakar, aged about 48 years, R/o. Pithoura, District Mahasamund.

Present: Shri Ayaz Naved, learned counsel for the petitioner.

Shri Vivek Ranjan Tiwari, learned counsel for respondents 1 and 2.

ORDER

(Passed on 18th July, 2006)

In this writ petition, the complaint of the petitioner is that though the bid offered by him was the lowest, contract was not awarded to him, but, awarded to the third respondent herein. The term of the contract itself expired on 31st March, 2006. In that view of the matter, the writ petition has become infructuous. Moreover, at this distance of time, no effective relief could be granted to the petitioner. Furthermore, it needs to be noticed that it is not the law that the State agencies should always award contract to the lowest bidders. Such a right in the petitioner cannot be culled out from the tender documents. The writ petition is, therefore, dismissed. No costs.

Sd/-
Chief Justice

Brajesh